

CITY INVESTIGATES ELECTROCUTION OF GIRL BY LIGHT CORD

Medical Examiner Demands to
Know Why House Current
Is Fatal.

As a result of the death last night of Miss Beatrice Schwarzer, seventeen, at No. 186 Rochelle Street, City Island, where she was spending the summer with her parents, Dr. John F. Riegelman, Medical Examiner, today began an investigation to find out why the electric wires of the cottage were carrying so heavy a voltage. Miss Schwarzer was holding a portable electric light cord. When connection was made with the electric light socket she fell to the floor. She died a short time later.

According to the Medical Examiner, Miss Schwarzer was wearing a wet bathing suit at the time

and her hands were damp after a swim. This fact tended to make the shock severe, but, he said, the wires of the cottage had to carry an unusually high voltage in order to kill the girl. He has directed the company supplying the electricity to give him a report immediately.

Dr. F. E. Lawrence, a neighbor, who was called to attend Miss Schwarzer, reported he found the girl breathing and this was protracted through his efforts, but he could not save her life.

On the portable light cord Dr. Riegelman found a worn spot. He expressed the opinion that the current struck through this to the girl's thumb. A discoloration on the girl's thumb and another on her right great toe indicated the current had passed through her body.

Otto J. Schwarzer, father of the dead girl, is a builder, contractor and owner of garages and lives at No. 1882 Grand Concourse, the Bronx.

**TILLIE WEISMAN QUEEN
OF ARVERNE CARNIVAL**

Will Ride in Big Float Parade This Afternoon.

Miss Tillie Weisman of Weisman's Inn, Beach 43d Street, Arverne, L. I., has been elected Queen of the Arverne Carnival and will ride in splendor in the float parade this afternoon. The coronation will be Saturday night.

The election, in which every vote was bought and paid for at a nickel a vote, closed in a lively session at the ball last

night at the Prince Casino. The nickels are to be used by the Arverne Hotel Association to build a boardwalk. The election was to close at 11 P. M., but when somebody rushed in a minute or two late with a shoebox containing \$800 the money was considered too important to be rejected.

Miss Weisman had 36,045 votes. Her nearest competitor, Miss Nettie Lifshitz of the Ocean Crest Hotel had 27,943, and Miss Helen Jacobs of the Britton Hotel had 9,949.

\$3.60
Round Trip
War Tax
25c. additional

Atlantic City

Wednesday, August 31
SPECIAL TRAIN LEAVES
Eastern Standard Time
Pennsylvania Station - 6:30 A. M.
Hudson Terminal - 6:30 A. M.
Jersey City - 6:35 A. M.
Stopping at Newark, Elizabeth,
Hoboken, New Brunswick.
Returning, Leave
Atlantic City - 6:00 P. M.
Similar Excursions Sundays, Sept. 4 & 10

Pennsylvania System

5th Avenue

James McCreery & Co.

34th Street

TOMORROW—LAST DAY Of Our August Sales

Tomorrow is the last day in which to take advantage of the low prices offered in these five August Sales—Furs, "Master-Made" Furniture, Oriental Rugs, McCreery Quality Linens and Blankets.

FURS

Remarkable savings may be effected on Furs purchased to-morrow. Even on small Fur Scarfs the saving amounts to many dollars—on larger Furs and Coats it permits of economy no woman should overlook.

Hudson Seal Coats, 40 inches long, fashioned of selected skins with collar and cuffs of Natural Skunk. September Price, 365.00, August Sale Price, 285.00

Hudson Seal Coats, 36 inches long, of choice skins—self trimmed. September Price, 285.00, August Sale Price, 205.00

Hudson Seal Coats, 36 inches long, of selected skins—collar and cuffs of Natural Skunk or Beaver. September Price, 345.00, August Sale Price, 265.00

Genuine Alaska Seal Coats, 36 inches long (U. S. Government dye). September Price, 545.00, August Sale Price, 475.00

Mole Wraps, 47 inches long, of choice selected pelts, self-trimmed. September Price, 465.00, August Sale Price, 365.00

Persian Lamb Coats, 36 inches long, made of choice, lustrous skins, with self collar and cuffs. September Price, 425.00, August Sale Price, 345.00

(Fourth Floor)



BLANKETS

To-morrow is the last day of the August Sale of Blankets, Comfortables, Spreads and Steamer Rugs. The opportunity to secure them at prices reduced from 25% to 40% should not be missed.

500 pairs All-Wool Plaid Blankets, double size, choice selection of colors. formerly 12.50, pair, 7.25

200 pairs White Blankets, double size, winter weight, wool and cotton, colored borders. formerly 9.00, pair, 6.00

300 pairs 100% All-Wool White Blankets, pink or blue borders. Single size.....formerly 14.50, pair, 9.50 Double size.....formerly 16.00, pair, 10.50

120 Wool-filled Comfortables, plain color sateen borders, figured cambric centers in various colors. New designs, double size. formerly 7.50, 5.50

400 Bed Spreads, crochet weave, Marseilles patterns, hemmed, double size. formerly 2.50 and 3.25, 1.75 and 2.35

100 All-Wool Steamer Rugs. Choice selection of new plaid patterns, fringed ends. Sizes 60x80 inches. formerly 10.50 and 15.00, 6.75 and 9.50

(Second Floor)

LINENS

To-morrow is the last day of the August Sale of McCreery Quality Linens. Varied assortments—and prices reduced from 25% to 40% make this a sale of interest. Take advantage of these values to-morrow.

All Linen Damask Table Cloths.... 4.50 and 6.00 doz. Turkish Bath Towels, hemmed. doz., 3.00 and 4.50

formerly 5.00, 6.00, 7.00 Napkins to match.....doz., 4.50 formerly 6.75

Irish Linen Damask Table Cloths: 70x 70 inches.....formerly 7.00, 4.50 70x 88 inches.....formerly 8.50, 5.75 70x106 inches.....formerly 10.50, 7.25

Napkins to match, 22x22 inches, formerly 9.00. doz., 6.00

Irish All Linen Table Damask, 70 ins. wide, formerly 8.00, yd., 1.90 8.00 doz. All Linen Scotch Huck Towels, hemmed. doz., 5.00

9.00 doz. All Linen Irish Huck Towels, hemstitched. doz., 6.75

6.00 doz. Union Linen Huck Towels, hemstitched. doz., 4.50

7.50 doz. Turkish Bath Towels, hemmed. doz., 5.00

15.00 doz. Irish Linen Huck Towels, hemstitched. 20x36 inches, doz., 10.00

(Second Floor)

ORIENTAL RUGS

To-morrow is the last day of the August Sale of Oriental Rugs. Prices are far below their usual replacement values. Now is the final opportunity to secure exquisite rugs at remarkably low prices.

Embossed Chinese Rugs

9x12 ft. 225.00, formerly 475.00

Chinese Rugs, with embossed designs, in blue and gold tones. Finely and closely woven.

Persian Rugs

Arak Rugs, unusual values in rugs of this kind. Size range from 10.1x7.1 to 12.11x9.11 ft. 175.00 to 275.00 formerly 285.00 to 545.00

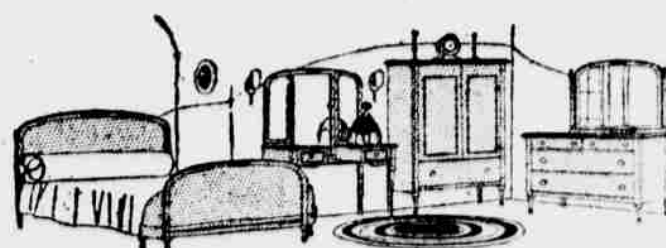
Mosul Rugs. Extra fine quality, in small sizes. 39.75

(Eighth Floor)

Extra fine Persian Rugs, luxurious texture and colorings. In sizes ranging from 11.10x8.8 to 14.0x10.7 ft. 375.00 formerly 495.00

Small rugs for foyers, small rooms, etc. 75.00 and 85.00

"MASTER-MADE" FURNITURE



Four-piece Chamber Suite, illustrated, in Mahogany, consisting of Dresser, Chiffonade, Vanity Table and bow-end Bed. formerly 425.00, 297.50

Ten-piece Mahogany Dining Room Suite..... 247.50 formerly 495.00

Ten-piece Walnut Dining Room Suite..... 237.50 formerly 475.00

Ten-piece Walnut Dining Room Suite..... 375.00 formerly 450.00

Ten-piece Mahogany Dining Room Suite..... 295.00 formerly 475.00

Ten-piece Mahogany Dining Room Suite..... 375.00 formerly 495.00

Ten-piece Walnut Dining Room Suite..... 375.00 formerly 495.00

Ten-piece Walnut Dining Room Suite..... 687.50 formerly 875.00

Ten-piece Mahogany Dining Room Suite..... 550.00 formerly 850.00

To-morrow is the last day of the August Sale of "Master-Made" Furniture. To take advantage of these unusual and striking reductions we would advise early shopping, as many suites and separate pieces cannot be duplicated. Such prices and unprecedented values would be hard to find anywhere for the class of merchandise offered.

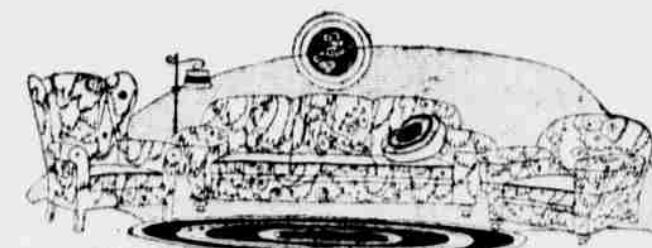
Four-piece Chamber Suite, 297.50 formerly 395.00

Four-piece Chamber Suite, 347.50 formerly 575.00

Four-piece Chamber Suite, 695.00 formerly 1000.00

Five-piece Chamber Suite, 495.00 formerly 900.00

(Seventh Floor)



Three-piece Library Suite, illustrated, upholstered in Tapestry, with loose spring cushions. 191.75 formerly 314.50

Separately—Sofa..... 89.75

Arm Chair..... 59.50

Wing Chair..... 42.50

Three-piece Library Suite.....formerly 288.50, 139.75

Three-piece Library Suite.....formerly 364.50, 174.50

Three-piece Library Suite.....formerly 429.00, 214.50

Three-piece Library Suite.....formerly 389.00, 194.50

Walnut Library Table.....formerly 110.00, 49.50

Mahogany Day Bed, complete.....formerly 125.00, 49.50

Mahogany Tea Wagon.....formerly 59.50, 29.75

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Established 1879

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Mothers of schoolgirl daughters will find this knowledge particularly helpful and will appreciate the comfort of shopping here, where all the essentials of a correct school wardrobe are shown under one roof.

An abundance of pretty and practical garments is arranged for easy selection, capable, courteous salespeople are in constant attendance, and a special order department, the only one in the city devoted exclusively to younger girls, rounds out a service unique in its scope.

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Girls' Wool Jersey Dresses	Beginning at 9.50
Girls' Serge Dresses	12.95
Girls' Serge Middy Suits	9.50
Girls' Silk Dresses	18.00
Girls' Wool Coats	18.00
Girls' Serge Bloomers	2.95
Girls' Wool Skirts	4.65
Girls' Orpic Shoes	8.25
Juniors' Serge Dresses	10.00
Juniors' Silk Dresses	29.50
Juniors' Wool Coats	18.50
Juniors' Gymnasium Bloomers	4.50
Juniors' Wool Suits	39.50

(SECOND FLOOR)